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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Barry et al.) Group Art Unit: 2853
Application No. 10/084,256) Confirmation No. 2017
Filed: February 27, 2002) Examiner: Stewart, Jr., Charles W.
For: "SYSTEM AND METHOD OF FLUID LEVEL)
REGULATING FOR A MEDIA COATING)
SYSTEM")

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

MAIL STOP FEE AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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December 9, 2003

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

_____	One Month	\$110.00	(\$ 55.00)*
<u> X </u>	Two Months	\$420.00	(\$210.00)*
_____	Three Months	\$950.00	(\$475.00)*
_____	Four Months	\$1,480.00	(\$740.00)*
_____	Five Months	\$2,010.00	(\$1,050.00)*

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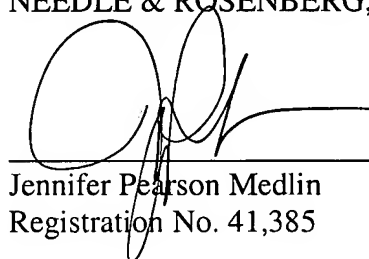
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Respectfully submitted,

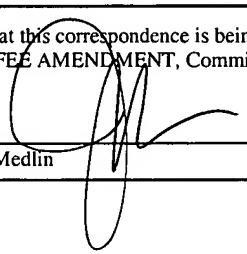
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